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GRADED SCHOOL COMMENCEMENT.

Seven Graduates Awarded Diplomas - A most Successful Year for the School. The Address of Dr. Jas P. Kinard.

The closing exercises of the Boundary Street Graded School on Friday night were a fitting close to a very successful session. Newberry is proud of her school, and as usual on such occasions, standing room could hardly be obtained in the opera house on Friday night.

The graduating class of 1902 was composed of seven members, six of whom were young ladies, there being only one young man in the class. The exercises consisted of the reading of essays by the graduates, and an address by Dr. Jas. P. Kinard, of Winthrop College. The essays were all good, and the young people reflected credit upon themselves and the training which they have received. But a medal had been offered to that member of the class who should write the best essay, and a decision was necessitated. This medal was awarded by the committee to Miss Pauline Gilder. The presentation was made in a happy talk by Hon. E. M. Rucker, of Anderson. The following are the members of the

class, with their subjects: Miss Dora Mann, "Our Martyred

President." Miss Martha Johnstone, "What Work

Miss Pauline Gilder, "The Climb of Life."

Tench Boozer, "Modern University." Miss Pearl Langford, "One Touch o Nature Makes the Whole World Kin." Miss Mamie Parks, "Thoughts on the Poets "

Miss Eula Teague, "Timrod" The address by Dr Kinard was a schol

arly effort, containing excellent advice to the class and food for thought.

The following is a synopsis of

THE ADDRESS.

Dr. Kinard, in beginning his address, expressed pleasure at being in Newberry, his old home, saying that for one who had been away for a long time it was good to come home, to the place where his mother and father lived, to look into the faces of those whom he loved and who loved him It had been fifteen years since he had taught in the old Newberry male academy, and thirty years since he had gone to school with the present superintendent of the city schools. But he wanted to say to the graduating class, that when a traveller along the proverbially rough road of life has reached the half-way milestone-it is a pleasure to him to pause for a moment and looking back on those who are coming after, to shout to them a message of cheer to tell them of the bright fields beyond; and warn them, perhaps, of the rough places over which his stumbling feet have trod; or he may point out to them a path over which a steadier foot than his has passed, a path still radiant with the lustre of him who pressed it.

It was his pleasure tonight to tell them of a traveller who passed along this road a thousand years ago His name was Alfred, to which his loving countrymen have added the title of 'Great." His path was a royal one in both uses of the word royal, literal and metaphorical, for during his life he reigned over his peop'e, and for a thousand years since he has reigned in their hearts. He told of Alfred's struggels with the Danes, who some time before his coronation had begun their yearly descent upon England, and for thirly years he was engaged almost constantly in fighting the battles of his country. He was the one man during that time who stood between England and heathendom; but when Alfred died Anglo-Saxon supremacy was assured.

But he did more than free his country from the Danes. During this struggle for their existence the laws of the land had been forgotten, the churches had been neglected, and the monasteries had been deserted. Priests had turned sol diers, and what little learning had existed before was now completely decayed. Here then was Alfred's work: to restore the laws-to re-instate religion, and to provide for the education of his people.

He compiled a code of laws, and upon this code established a system for the administration of justice that has lived till today as an essential and fundamental part of English jurisprudence. He built new churches and repaired the old ones; he invited learned monks and priests from other countries to come into England and teach his people. In the cause of educa tion he was ahead, even of our time, for he did all that he could to establish universal education. He becomes our first

What do we learn from a life like his? Tuat we are to join the army and become great soldiers? He hoped not. There do come times in the life of men and nations when they must fight, and if this should come to us, then ought we to fight? But he wanted it to be remembered that Alfred was not a soldier by choice. His battles were fought not for himself, but for his country. His greatness, like scrofula, Bood Poison, cancer, eating the greatness of Washington, consisted not in brilliant displays of genius, but in or any blood or skin disease, we advise made suit to me, to grant them Letters the faithful discharge of the duty that you to take Botanic Blood Bulm of Administration of the estate of lay nearest to hand.

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And there are Danes threatening your mind and heart, insidious evils that rob you of the purity of your minds before you are aware of it. He wanted to name only one; the evil in books. The best books in the world are few in number and could be bought by every boy and girl in the audience tonight, and what is better, could be read in the time usually given to literature that is ephemeral and

There was another kind of evil that he must warn them against, the feeling that they hal completed their education with a school or a college course. Alfred was a student all his life, not only of books, but of men and things-and so must every one be who would be truly educated. This thing we call education is not a knowledge of a few text-books-nor indeed of many It is a drawing out of a man the best that is in him. It is a training that begins in the cradle and ends when life ends. It is the seizing and using of every means of acquiring wis-

We may also learn something from Al fred the Christian, who, when he came to re-establish law and religion in Wessex, held to all that was good in the old law and religion of his people. In the unrest of today there is a great reaching out after new things. It is too often true that young men and young women feel that the religion of their fathers and mothers needs to be modified somewhat, that it is too old fashioned to look well; or they think that this thing you call religion does very well for old women and children, but for us-we want a little stronger stuff than that Listen! If the old fashioned belief.in God, and a firm faith in his mercy and providence, will help you and me to live the kind of life that it helped Alfred to live, then we need all of it that we can get.

There are many men and women who would give a great deal to stand where you stand tonight, with youth and health and a good conscience, before the felters of custom and evil habit have fastened upon you To you now, anything in reason is possible. Only remember this: If you are to accomplish anything worth doing you must go about it at once. It is possible for a man to think about what he is going to do till the time for action is passed. The most successful life, the life that comes nearer to doing what a life ought to do is the one in which there is a balance of intellect and activity, and if you are going to do anything you must do it at once If you are to make the best of your life you must think as well as work He believed we should all be better and saner if we spent a part of each day in solitary thought, in thinking about God and the universe, and in trying to learn something about the strange being

It is a fine thing for us that such a man as Alfred has lived When we are weary and heartsick at the selfishness and meanness of humanity-its lying, cheat ing, backbiting and slanderous gossiping, when we are oppressed by all this, the life of Alfred comes to us like a breath of

air to a sick man, it revives us, it gives us new hope; we see that there is possible for this poor, pitiful humanity to Is always a source of danger; dysentery lose itself in others, to crush out all that an I bowel troubles follow its use; every is low and mean and degrading, and to show to the world a life in which all is patience and courage and love.

to be oppressed by that sickly sentimen tal mood that is always wondering if life is worth living, I c mmend you to Alfred to him who near the end of a well-spent life said, what I trust that you and I in like season may be able to say: "The If YOU NEED a NEW HAT before Comwhile I have lived I have sought to live mencement call at the

AWARDING OF DIPLOMAS.

The awarding of the diplomas was made by Mr. Robt H Welch. He sought to impress the fact that thei education should be just beginning, and gave facts and figures to sustain his argument for a college course. His short address, which was laden with thought, received the undivided attention of the large audience

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THE MAYOR'S COURT

Honor Mayor Klettner.

There is usually a pretty large mayor's court on Monday morning, but vesterday Mayor Klettner had over an hours sit, and he had all kinds of charges to listen to The first case called was that of Ben Spence, colored, who threw a rock at sim one for which he justly had to pay \$10 or s rve 20 days. eases, skin eruptions, ulcers and sores

Next came eight negro men who plead guilty of gambling. Four got \$5 each or 20 days; two \$2 each or four days, and the sentence against two was sealed.

Lou Fair was convicted of idling around the depot and sentenced to pay a fine of \$3 or serve 10 days.

Katie Mayes, colored, was convicted of running a disorderly house and had to pay \$15 or serve 30 days.

Lillie Anderson, a black negro woman, managed to prove herself innocent of the charge of running a disorderly house and was dismissed with a lecture and a timely warning from His.

Lottie Jackson and Lou Fair, two terrors to decency, were convicted of public indecency, that is appearing on the streets in indecent apparel, and lottie was sentenced to pay a fine of \$5 or 15 days; Lou got off with \$1 or 2 days.

A negro boy plead guilty of throwing rocks on the streets, and as this was his second or third offence, he had to pay \$5 or serve 15 days.

Arother negro boy plead guilty to shoving a negro woman off the sidewalk. He got off at \$2 or 4 days.

Minnie Lake, colored, was tried in ber absence for using abusive language on the streets and a sealed sentence

Three other cases were continued.

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Whereas our Saviour commands us to love our neighbors as ourselves; and the spirit teaches, that, if one member suffer all the members suffer with it:

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Respectfully, H. S. BOOZER. J. W. WHEELER. WM. A. MOSELEY.

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J Y. THOMPSON. Newberry, S. C., June 7, 1902.

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Teachers' Examination.

THE TEACHERS' EXAMINATION will be held in the County Court House on Friday, June 13th, beginning promptly at 9 a. m. Applicants for State te chers' certificates will be the amined at same time Applicants will furnish all stationery,

EUG. S WERTS ('o. Supt. of Education.

B. W. W Hodges, Esq , Probate Judge COUNTY OF NEW BERRY.

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